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U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/749,687 (Docket No. 19673) filed December 31, 2003, by Francis J. Kronzer for "Matched Heat Transfer Materials and Method of Use Thereof."

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/894,841 (Docket No. 20432) filed July 20, 2004, by Francis J. Kronzer for "Heat Transfer Materials and Method of Use Thereof."

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